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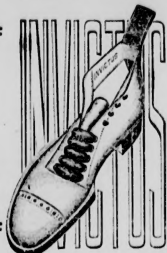
DIDSBURY, ALBERTA, WEDNESDAY JUNE 9th, 1909.

No. 24

## Canada's Best and Foremost Shoes

GEO. A. SLATER, Maker

\$4.50  
to  
\$6.50  
per Pair



All  
Guaranteed

If we can only sell you one pair of Invictus Shoes, we know you will always be an Invictus customer. These shoes stand for perfect fit, highest class workmanship, best material, newest styles and longer wear.

SOLE AGENT, DIDSBURY.

J. V. BERSCHT

## Given Away Free

With every dollars worth of Dry goods purchased at our store we will give a coupon valued at 10c. which can be exchanged for

GLASSWARE, SILVERWARE, CROCKERY, LAMPS, CUPS AND SAUCERS PLATES, ETC.

Now is your time to get some nice and fancy articles

**Absolutely Free**

WE PAY CASH FOR BUTTER AND EGGS

GEO. PETERS

## Pineapples for Preserving

Now is the time to buy them, while they are plentiful and cheap. Quality A.1.

Cucumbers, Lettuce, Cabbage, Bananas, Turnips, Parsnips, Carrots, also some

nice Apples left, at

**BILL BAILEY'S**

Car of Salt Just in \$2.75 per Barrel

## AROUND THE TOWN

See Hembling's ad. on page 3.  
No. 1 Shingles at \$2.75 M at Corbitt's.

Miss A. C. Melrose spent the week end with Mrs. S. Searlett, Carstairs.

Hair cutting on Saturday nights at the Golden West Barber shop will be 35c.

H. S. Patterson, barrister, etc. has money to loan on farm property in the Carbon, Three Hills and Sunnyslope districts.

Mrs. S. Searlett was a visitor to town on Friday last and was the guest of Miss Ferguson.

N. Weicker will ship hogs on Tuesday, June 15th. Hogs must be delivered on Monday, June 14th.

S. Woolner, of Okotoks, paid his nephew, O. W. Hembling, a short visit this week.

Don't forget Hembling's grain shocker demonstration on Monday next. See ad. in another column.

WANTED—A girl to do general housework. Four in family; good wages. Apply box 45, Pioneer Office.

J. E. Liesemer has money to loan on farm property in the Sunnyslope, Three Hills, Carbon and Trochu Valley districts at a reasonable rate of interest.

The Football Association have fixed up the football grounds and would request those who have been in the habit of driving over them to desist until the season is over.

FOR SALE CHEAP—Buggy, top, pony and harness. Pony has good disposition, drives single, double or saddle and is an excellent pony. Apply to Wm. Marsden, Didsbury.

N. E. Eby and Bert Shantz were at Brooks looking over the land situation. They were returning on the train that was wrecked on Monday afternoon, but neither were hurt.

Hembling the implement man will give an exhibition of his Grain Shocker on Monday, June 14th. Don't fail to see this great labor saver at work, it will surprise you.

The many friends of Miss Edna Hallman will be pleased to hear that she is recovering nicely from the operation for appendicitis which was undertaken last Saturday at the Holy Cross hospital, Calgary.

J. E. Stauffer has received word from Messrs. Dillinger and Stevens, who are looking into the shipping facilities of the towns of Alberta, that they will stop off at Didsbury. If you have any complaints to make hand it in to Mr. Stauffer.

No. 1 Shingles at \$2.75 M at Corbitt's.

Mrs. J. McTavish, Dog Pound was in town for a few days this week.

The following appointments have been made recently by the Lieut.-Governor with the advice of the executive council: Notary Public, W. H. Shaw, Sunnyslope; H. B. Atkins, Didsbury. Justices of the Peace, J. C. Smith, Trochu Valley; T. E. Burchall, Didsbury. Commissioners for taking affidavits, J. A. Findlay, Didsbury; A. Brusso, Neapolis; C. B. Robertson, Three Hills; F. T. Moyle, Didsbury; J. M. Reed, Didsbury; L. C. Eckenfelder, Trochu Valley.

The death occurred on Monday last of Mrs. J. G. Hills at Carstairs of pneumonia and heart trouble. Mrs. Hills has been sick for some time past and although her recovery was not expected the end came rather sudden at last. Mrs. Hills came to the Didsbury District about nine years ago with her husband and family, who will have the sympathy of the community in their loss. The funeral took place from the M. R. C. Church, Didsbury, on Wednesday afternoon to the Didsbury cemetery, a large number of friends and acquaintances being present.

## Didsbury Wins Game from Crossfield

The football game between Didsbury and Crossfield on the home grounds was one of the best of the season, resulting in a score of 1-0 in favor of Didsbury. The game was a clean one throughout and although some fouls were called they are nothing very gross. The Crossfield boys are a fast clean bunch of players.

The work of the home team was highly commended by the large crowd of onlookers, the backs especially doing good work in feeding the forward line and the whole team worked like clock work. Siebel was the man who scored the goal from a ball passed to him by Elliott. Gaddes made some fine drops near goal but failed to make them count. On the whole the shooting ability of the team showed great improvement over the last game.

The lineup: Goal, English; full backs, Kallander, L. Sweeney; half backs, A. Sweeney, Sweeney, Baldwin; left wing, Siebel, Gaddes; right wing, Elliott, Curtis; centre, Henson. Mr. Sweeney of Olds, referee.

## BIRTH

On Tuesday, June 1st, 1909, to Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Wilson, a daughter.

## DEATH

On Monday, June 7th, 1909, at Carstairs, Flora McNeil, beloved wife of J. G. Hills, aged 54 years, 5 months, 21 days.

## GENERAL MEETING OF THE BOARD OF TRADE

will be held in the  
OPERA HOUSE, ON  
FRI., JUNE 12th  
At Eight O'clock Sharp

There are several matters of importance to the town to be taken up at this meeting and everybody is requested to be present sharp on time.

Don't Forget, Fri. night, June 12

## UNION BANK

OF CANADA  
HEAD OFFICE QUEBEC  
Comparative Figures for Fifteen Years.

Capital Paid-up	
May 31st 1895	\$1,200,000
" " 1905	2,000,000
" " 1905	2,500,000
Feb. 27th 1909	2,601,400
Reserve and Undivided Profits	
May 31st 1895	349,400
" " 1900	573,417
" " 1905	1,286,824
Feb. 27th 1909	2,045,050
Deposits	
May 31st 1895	\$4,001,125
" " 1900	6,571,047
" " 1905	16,533,876
Feb. 27th 1909	24,993,386
April 3rd 1909	26,815,000
Total Assets	
May 31st 1895	\$ 7,802,099
" " 1900	11,144,463
" " 1905	17,819,752
Nov. 30th 1908	34,062,408
Mar. 31st 1909	35,428,244

DIDSBURY BRANCH:  
F. N. Ballard, Manager

Where  
Quality  
Counts.

The reputation of a druggist depends largely upon the quality and the class of drugs he handles. QUALITY is our first thought in buying medicines, drugs, chemicals, toilet articles, rubber goods, and all drug store supplies. R. MEMER we have almost everything found in a first-class drug store.

H. W. CHAMBERS  
DRUGGIST AND STATIONER

**PORK.**  
Fresh Meats

Chops, Veal Cutlets, Mutton, Pork, Steaks, Fresh Sausage  
Orders delivered to any part of Town  
We buy HOGS and POULTRY  
live or dressed at any time, delivered when ordered.

Didsbury Meat Market  
N. WEICKER, Prop.

All the Latest . . .  
Designs in . . .

WALL PAPERS  
—AT—  
DIDSBURY  
FURNITURE  
STORE

R. Barron, Prop.

## THE BOOK BORROWER.

## OVER 1400 PUBLICATIONS IN CANADA

New Collectors Have Circumvented a Wicked Type.

The book borrower is the sworn foe of the book collector, and many stories are told of the plans adopted by the latter to defend his treasures from the assaults of the borrower. Especially is the collector opposed to the unfeeling wretch who borrows one volume out of a series and forgets to return it. This was one of Coleridge's weaknesses and was so pronounced that Lamb described him as "a maker of odd volumes." The late J. Whitford MacKenzie, a well known collector, once told the present writer that when any one asked him for the loan of a single volume out of a set he was always replied that he would rather lend him the whole ten, fifteen or twenty volumes of the series than have them left as odd volumes on his hands. William Roberts, the renowned bibliophile, tells in "The Book Hunter in London" that the bookplate of a certain French collector bore this text: "Go rather to that sell and buy for yourselves." "Sir," said a man of wit to an acquaintance who lamented the difficulty which he found in persuading his friends to return the volumes that he had lent them—"Sir, your acquaintance is a fool, because it is quite more easy to retain the books themselves than what is contained in them."

An ingenious plan to limit book borrowing is told by J. Ashby Staley, in all the books of a certain cunning book collector he had the price written in plain figures. When any one asked for the loan of a book he invariably replied, "Yes, with pleasure," and looking in the volume, further added, "I see the price of this is £2 12s. 6d. or whatever it might happen to be. 'You may take it at this figure, which will, of course, be refunded when the volume is returned.' Sir Walter Scott's plan was ingenious. When he lent a book from his library he put in its place a wooden block bearing the name of the borrower and the date of the loan. Many were the antipathies leveled by collectors against those who would borrow or steal their volumes. Sometimes these were macabre rhymes written by students—as, for example, the following, which was inscribed upon a Latin book used in Aberdeen university.

**El estudiante furor**  
This little Librarian  
For Problem, he'll find him;  
He'll kill him, if he'll find him;  
In ventum this  
For his scull and scull  
And teach him to steal  
My little Librarian  
In the library of a famous Glasgow collector there was recently the copy of Scott's "Minstrelsy of the Scottish Border" which belonged at one time to William Motherwell and in which the poet had inscribed the following verse:

William Motherwell says the work is his,  
Who shall destroy him?  
He that dares do it  
May the devil take his soul!  
Even more violent denunciations were written against the book stealer in the sixteenth century, when books were more precious than now. Yet even the modern poet finds it useful to anatomize poetry:

To the lost books my fancy elixir;  
O'er them no memory grows;  
I wear in spirit when I lose  
The gasp among the novels.  
The bookworm I "loved and lost"  
I mourn with sorrow tender,  
Whither he is gone has  
The curses of the lender.

The lady (Hessie Craigmyre) who wrote these lines expresses her gratitude for the fact that "no one borrows poets," though that is not the opinion of Charles Sayre, who thus threatens the possible thief of "The Marriage of Cupid and Psyche."  
Cured he be who robs me of this book,  
With all his race, Let it be done!  
And brought now if so be it was great,  
For that he wickedly, impudently took  
That was another. Let great serpents  
At him a-sleeping, with dull eyes of hate,  
And let him, waking, be compelled of fate  
To cast his curse within the nearest brook.

This is as comprehensive a curse as that which overtook the fated "Jackdaw of Rheims"—and as ineffectual—Dundee Advertiser.

**Result of Poor Writing.**  
The Duke of Wellington, through misreading a badly written letter, made a ludicrous blunder. This letter was written by G. J. London, a hotelier author, who wrote to the duke requesting the privilege of seeing his beautiful beeches. The duke misread the signature for that of G. J. Bloomfield, bishop of London, and wrote in reply: "My lord I shall always be glad to see you at Stratford-upon-Avon, and my servant shall show you as many miles of my beeches as you may choose to inspect. But what you want to see them for is quite beyond me."—Exchange.

**An Easy One.**  
"You imagine you have a lot about Biblical things," said the acquirer. "Suppose you tell me who Cain's wife was." "That's easy," rejoined the old deacon. "She was Adam's daughter-in-law."—Detroit Free Press.

## PILES FOR FOUR YEARS

Only those who suffer from Piles can know the agony, the burning, throbbing, shooting, stabbing pain, which the ailment causes, and the way it wrecks the sufferer's life. Zam-Buk is used by thousands who used to suffer from piles, but whom it has cured. One such grateful person is Mrs. Elizabeth Taylor, of Greenwell Avenue, Toronto. She says: "For four long years I suffered acutely from bleeding piles. During that time I spent an immense amount of money on 'remedies' and doctor's prescriptions but got no relief. Zam-Buk was difficult to everything else I had tried, and it cured me. I am grateful for the cure, and as I have never had piles since, I know the cure is permanent."

Another thankful woman is Mrs. E. A. Gannister, of Calcutta, Trinity Bay. She says: "In my case, Zam-Buk elicited a wonderful cure. For two years I had been troubled with blind, bleeding, and protruding piles. I had been using various kinds of ointments, etc., but never came across anything to do me good until I used Zam-Buk, which cured me. That this may be the means of helping some sufferers from piles, I try Zam-Buk, in the wish of one who has found great relief."

Zam-Buk is a powerful astringent and should be in every home. Cures cuts, burns, bruises, eczema, ulcers, blood-poisoning, pruritis, itching, sunburn, blisters, sore feet, summer sores, and all diseases and injuries of the skin, etc. All druggists and stores at 50c. per box, from Zam-Buk Co., Toronto, for price.

Zam-Buk

## The Happy Neighbors

Little Robbie was missed by his mother one day for some time, and when he was reported, she asked: "Where have you been, my pet?" "Playing postman," replied her pet. "I gave a letter to all the houses in our road. Real letters, too. 'Where on earth did you get them?' questioned the mother, in amusement. "They were those old ones in your wardrobe drawer, tied up with ribbon," was the innocent reply.

Don't ignore the few house-flies you see in June. Unless you commence using Wilson's Fly Pads early your house will be overrun by them in midsummer.

## Harder for Him

Master—You want larger wages for a boy who's had no experience.  
Boys—Well, ain't it harder for me when I don't know how?

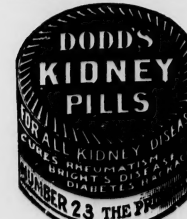
## Keep Minard's Liriment in the house.

The pain of a mosquito bite is due to the fluid which the insect injects to make the blood thin enough for it to swallow.

**A Cure for Fever and Ague.**—Disturbance of the stomach and liver—also provokes attacks of fever and ague, shooting derangement of the digestive organs and deterioration in the quality of the blood. In these ailments, Minard's Vegetable Pills have been found most effective, abating the fever and subduing the ague in a few days. There are many who are subject to these distressing disturbances and to these there is no better preparation procurable as a means of relief.

## Alraid to Brag

Brown must be terrible in debt.  
"What makes you think so?"  
"He got a raise in salary the other day and never said a word about it."



W. N. U., No. 745.

## SUNLIGHT SOAP



## Keeping Time in Holland

"Railroad time, as we generally understand the phrase in the United States, is a little ahead of the 'town' time, but in The Hague, the quaint old capital of Holland, all private and unofficial clocks and watches are kept twenty minutes fast," said Gerald Walthall.  
When it is noon in the railway station, post-office and other government buildings of The Hague, the timepieces in the shops and the watches of the sturdy burghers show 12:20 a.m. Just what reason there is for this I don't know, although I am asked enlightenment in many quarters. It seems a custom that has been handed down for generations, and the Dutch are too conservative to change the ways of their progenitors without some mighty inducement."

## Modesty Forbids

The Client—How much will your opinion be worth in this case?  
The Lawyer—I'm too modest to say. But I can tell you what I'm going to charge you for it.

## Footpads On

Green—It seems to me that Herlock, the detective, is taller than he was a few months ago.  
Brown—Possibly he has got on to some footpads.

## Sympathy

Editorial—I'm very glad to say the editor ain't in.  
Post—Glad, did you say?  
Office Boy—Yes. I kinder like your face and I wouldn't like to see it spilt.

## Terrible

"What's that book you're reading, papa?"  
"The 'Last Days of Pompeii,' my dear."  
"What did he die of, papa?"  
"An eruption."

## Then He Has To

"Do you get up early in the mornings?"  
"Only on the days our neighbors cut their grass."

## Understood That Baby

His Darling Pet—What a sweet smile there is on baby's face, John.  
Her Husband—Yes, but I'm probably dreaming that he's keeping me awake.

A device that turns the lamps of automobiles with the wheels, so as to illuminate the path when rounding curves, has been patented by an Ohio man.

## In Culinary Sense

Sir Leopold McIntosh, the Arctic explorer, who died recently, was once giving an account of his experience amid the ice fields of the north, as told in the San Francisco Chronicle.  
"We certainly would have travelled much farther," he explained, "had not our dogs given out at a critical moment."  
"But," exclaimed a lady, who had been listening very intently, "I thought that the Eskimo dogs were perfectly tireless creatures."  
Sir Leopold's face wore a whimsical, long-suffering expression as he replied: "I—I—speak in a culinary sense, miss."

## The Burning Question

A Baltimore teacher was trying to explain the meaning of the word "re-cupulate."  
"Charley," she said, "when night comes your father returns home tired and worn out, doesn't he?"  
"Yes, my mam," assented Charley.  
"Then," continued the teacher, "it being night, and he being tired, what does he do?"  
"That's what my mam wants to know," said Charley—Success Magazine.

## Ravenous Coyotes

Vernon Bailey, of the United States Bureau of biological survey, declares that wolves and coyotes cost the farmers and stock raisers of this country several million dollars a year, and in some of the northern states threaten the extermination of deer. Wolves, it appears, are especially numerous and destructive in Wyoming.  
An interesting statement made by Mr. Bailey is that elk are great natural enemies of wolves, and he dwells on this as of great practical significance for its bearing on the reduction of stock from the ravenous beasts. He quotes with unqualified approval these words from George W. Ross, of Eureka Springs, Ark.:

"An elk is the natural enemy of dogs and wolves. We suffered great losses to our stock until we learned this fact. Since then we have had no losses from this cause. A few elk to a thousand-acre pasture will absolutely protect the flocks therein."

Morrison will change a man's views quicker than anything else.

A new English electric oven can cook four articles at the same time, yet is so compact that it is but 13 by 14 by 15 inches in size.

Owing to the steadily increasing cost of fine Ceylon tea such as are sold to the public under the brand

## "SALADA"

It has been found necessary to advance the prices of these teas to the public. Consequently the consumers will have to pay a correspondingly increased price, but undoubtedly they will be willing to do this in order to get the finest tea the world produces.

## "Fly Flyaway"

For HORSES.

## "Fly Flyaway"

For CATTLE.

Will keep the flies off. Easy to apply. Simply keep a sponge or cloth moist with it, and wipe the animal down.

\$1.25 per Gallon, 40c. Quart.

\$1.00 per Ounce in quantities.

Ask your storekeeper or write

## Carbon Oil Works, Limited,

WINNIPEG, CANADA.

Manufacturers of "COWAL BRAND" Oil Specialties.

## Shoe Dolls, Capped Hocks, Burells are hard to cure, yet

## ABSORBINE

will remove them and leave no blemish. "Dress such Blisters" or remove the hair, cure and not excruciating. Blisters can be treated at 10¢ per bottle delivered, 10¢ a bottle. ABSORBINE, 25¢ (in sealed, glass bottles). For Blisters, Bunions, Old Sores, Swellings, Itches, Varicose Veins, Yaws, etc. Sold by all druggists. W. F. Foulke, P.O. Box 17, Toronto, Ont., Canada. Also Sold by J. C. A. & W. S. Co., Montreal. Sole Importers: J. C. A. & W. S. Co., Montreal.



## SHOE POLISH

shines instantly at the first rub or two of the brush or cloth.

Will not rub off. Is waterproof. Softens and preserves the leather. No substitute even half as good.

10c. and 25c. Tins

## Blouses Blouses

Just Received 50 Blouses

TRAVELLERS SAMPLES

33<sup>1</sup>/<sub>3</sub> LESS

Than The Regular Prices  
Come Before They are all Gone

SPECIAL FOR ONE WEEK

Red Cross Tea, Regular 50c., now 40c.

Studer & Co.

## W.G. Liesemer

Headquarters for

Shelf and Heavy Hardware, Stoves,  
Tinware, Furnaces, Wall Papers,  
Sherwin-Williams Paints, Deering  
Machinery, John Deere Implements

Job Work a Specialty

Call in and see our National  
Canada Stoves

The Leading

Implement

Journals Admit

That the

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Drill is "It"

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H. E. OSMOND, EDITOR.

### The Board of Trade Meeting

As will be seen in another column a general meeting is called for Friday evening. Very little interest has been taken in the Board for some months back by the executive because of the lack of interest shown by those business men who are as vitally concerned in the welfare of the town as are the officers of the Board of Trade.

The annual general meeting was called at the beginning of the year but there was nobody present but the Executive, it is to be hoped that the business men will turn out at this meeting and help to reorganize.

There are several matters to be taken up of interest to the town, such as the government pork packing establishment, representation at the coming Provincial Fair to be held at Calgary and several other important items.

Come out and start the ball rolling again on Friday night.

### Town Council

The Council held a regular meeting on Monday night. Mayor Corbett, Councillors Osmond, Hunsberger, Moyer, Liesemer, Clerk Reed and Solicitor Patterson being present.

A deputation from the real estate dealers in the town were present, consisting of Messrs. G. M. Gaddes and G. B. Saxsmith, who stated that the real estate men wished to have the by law being prepared to cover all agencies as well as real estate, which would be no more than fair to them.

The Council promised to consider the matter.

Mr. L. Steckley asked to be allowed the sum of \$20 for sidewalk which had been laid over in East Didsbury before the town was incorporated, and which had been paid for out of his own pocket.

As there are several others who contributed towards the sidewalk, the council laid the matter over until a valuation has been made as they did not want to form a precedent.

H. Brecker's claim of \$3 overcharge for impounding was allowed after hearing fresh evidence on the subject.

Three by-laws received their first and second reading.

H. Reiter's assessment was reduced from \$150 to \$100 as half of the year will be gone before it is ready for occupancy.

Several small bills amounting to \$21 were ordered paid.

The Council then adjourned.

### Provincial Exhibition

Calgary, May 31st.—Many people throughout Alberta and Saskatchewan are manifesting an interest in the sheep shearing contest to take place at the Alberta Provincial Exhibition, Calgary and judging by the letters reaching Manager Richardson's office from time to time in this regard, there seems to be a wrong impression as to the time and date, upon which the contest will be held. At the Exhibition grounds, from 11 to 12 o'clock a.m., and from 1 to 2 o'clock p.m., July 9th, Messrs. O'Brien and Dickson of Sheridan, Wyo., will hold the contest which will really be an exhibition of the using of machinery in the shearing of sheep. O'Brien and Dickson are sheep shearing experts, the latter holding the record. He sheared 200 sheep in nine hours. At the Alberta Provincial Exhibition, the sheep which are the hardest to shear will be selected, and \$25 will be given by the Wyoming sheep men to anyone supplying a sheep that it is impossible to shear by machinery. Calgary, June 1st.—A large number of entries in various departments have

## Grain Shocker Demonstration

Will be given on

MON., JUNE 14

All parties interested are invited to be in town on this date. The shocker will be attached to a binder and operated the same as if in a field of grain.

Don't Fail to See this New Invention in Operation

O. W. HEMBLING

## Announcement

We Wish to announce to the Public of Didsbury and District that Cooper Bros. have dissolved partnership in the General Store Business and in future the business will be carried on by

A. W. COOPER

Who will carry a full line of

GROCERIES, DRY GOODS,  
CROCKERY, BOOTS and SHOES  
AND CLOTHING

Those owing the old firm will greatly oblige by settling with A. W. Cooper before the end of the month.

There will be a "Medal Contest" held at Berlin, June 11th, under the auspices of the W.C.T.U. This will be worth hearing. Come out and encourage the Supt. of this department. No admission charged.

The regular meeting of the W.C.T.U. will be held at Mrs. Shields on Thursday.

### HELLO THERE!

When you are thinking of having that Auction Sale give us a call. Can speak either German or English.

JOHN DAGEFORD,  
AUCTIONEER

Arrangements for sales can be made — with —  
JOHN LIESEMER, CLERK,  
DIDSBURY

### STRAYED

Black gelding, unbranded, 8 years old, about 1100 lbs. Saddle and harness, marked small white star on forehead, about 14 hands high, strayed on the ranch of J. Tilsworth where it has been since April, 1908, about 6 miles S. W. of Didsbury, and now at the premises of P. Vernon, Didsbury.

### A REWARD

A white fox terrier pup-dog, half of face black, both ears black, tip of tail black. A reward will be given for the return of this dog to the Pioneer Office or to Messrs. O'Donnell and Burchall, Dog Pound.

### STRAYED

One white cow, short horns, branded over 7 tag on right hip. Left about May 27. Suitable reward for same. Please send information to W. R. Wilson, Didsbury, Alta.

### FOR SALE

3-year-old bull. Apply N. Weicker, Didsbury.











## OVERTAXED NERVES A DISTRESS SIGNAL

The Trouble Can Only be Cured by Enriching the Blood Supply

When your nervous system is exhausted the trouble makes itself evident in many ways. You feel always fatigued and unfit for work. Several headaches distract you; your back is weak; you sleep badly; your appetite is uncertain; you are nervous and irritable, and after any exercise you tremble and perspire excessively. If the trouble is not checked your case goes from bad to worse until you feel that your condition is hopeless and that insanity is threatened.

Your nerves are calling for help. They are starved because they demand from the blood more nourishment than it can supply. New rich blood is the secret of nerve strength, and Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People cure nervous disorders because they feed the weak and rebuild the system with rich, red blood. The case of Mrs. Emma Hall, of Hamilton, Ont., furnishes proof that Dr. Williams' Pink Pills will cure the most stubborn cases of nerve exhaustion.

Mrs. Hall was left a widow and was forced to work to support her maintenance and her two little children. She bravely faced the battle of life, though she had never had to conform to such conditions before. Notwithstanding the splendid spirit she displayed the work played havoc with her delicate constitution and in a few years Mrs. Hall noticed signs in herself of a nervous collapse. She consulted a doctor, who gave her some medicine and told her to rest, but he had no right in a few days. But relief did not come, and it was finally a serious occurrence for her to faint at her work. These fainting spells quickly developed into pronounced neuritis and chronic headache. Mrs. Hall says that death came to her as a relief. She consulted several doctors but got no help, and she felt that she was almost sinking into insanity. In this condition she was advised to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. Grasping at the possibility of help she decided to do so. After taking three boxes she actually found some improvement, and from that time on this improvement was steady and increasing daily until after a few months she felt the cure complete. She says that Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have done what doctors failed to do, and what I myself thought was impossible. They have freed me from the terrible trouble I suffered and my old joy in life has been renewed. Then Mrs. Hall began taking Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. She weighed only one hundred pounds while under her renewed health her weight has increased to one hundred and thirty pounds.

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills can be had from any dealer in medicines or by mail sent by Dr. J. C. Williams, Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

### An Obdient Maid

Mistress—Why, Bridget, what on earth are you doing with all the broken dishes on the shelf?

Servant—Shure, miz, I bawld me I was to replace every one I broke.

### \$100 Reward, \$100.

The makers of this paper will be pleased to learn that the first prize in the contest for the best story in the world, as judged by the judges, has been won by a Canadian. The prize is a cash reward of \$100. The story is a masterpiece of fiction, and is a true story of a man's life. The story is a masterpiece of fiction, and is a true story of a man's life. The story is a masterpiece of fiction, and is a true story of a man's life.

English experiment in the spontaneous combustion of stacked hay indicates that the phenomenon is due to bacteria, as hay that would not ignite when sterilized did so after being sprinkled with water containing bacteria of ordinary hay.

Very many persons die annually from cholera and kindred ailments, who might have been saved if proper remedies had been used. If attacked by cholera, take a bottle of Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Dysentery Cordial, the medicine that never fails to effect a cure. Those who have used it say it acts promptly, and thoroughly subdues the pain and disease.

Cream is separated from milk in a new machine which alternately subjects the milk to positive and negative electrical currents.

Ask for Minard's and take no other. Gladness is appreciated only by those who know what sadness is.

Thousands of mothers can testify to the virtue of Mother's Own Food. Externment, because they know from experience how useful it is.

Two-Thirty A.M. Of all sad words of tongue or pen, The saddest are these, "Where have you been?"

### WHEN THE BOOM BUST.

How the Winnipeg Merchant Silenced the Banker.

They tell a story in Winnipeg about one of the largest and wealthiest wholesale houses in the city that it illustrates both the state of affairs in the Canadian West just after the collapse of the famous "boom" and also the real solidity and recuperative power of that country.

This pioneer firm had been optimistic during the boom, and when the tide receded it was left with a lot of bad accounts on its hands and little good business. It was struggling along trying to prevent the evil of the day being more than sufficient. The bank manager doubtless had his own troubles, but the firm thought it was worrying and hampering them unnecessarily in a time when every cent was stretched to pay one hundred cents on the dollar. Ordinary hints were of no avail. The banker's enquiries and instructions and statements of what must be done became daily more unbearable. One morning the junior partner of the wholesale house walked into the bank manager's private office and laid a bunch of keys on his desk.

"What are these?" asked the manager, somewhat surprised.

"These," said the merchant, "are the keys of our warehouse."

"Why do you bring them here?" asked the banker.

"Because we have been trying for the last six months to make some money to pay off our creditors. There has been no business, and we have no work and anxiety. If you think, as you seem to do, that you know more about business than we do, please let us be welcome to take the keys and start in."

The banker saw that the merchant meant what he said. He handed back the keys, and the firm had more enquiries and instructions and statements of what must be done became daily more unbearable. One morning the junior partner of the wholesale house walked into the bank manager's private office and laid a bunch of keys on his desk.

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The recent arrival at the five Tibet, an yak in Canada means a great deal to the Dominion, declares Ernest S. Thompson, the well-known naturalist, who was instrumental in securing them from the Duke of Bedford. It is hoped in time to effect a conquest of that vast stock-range which lies between the especial domain of the Canadian and the Russian empire, and which at present is lying idle. This yak is at least equal to all the other yaks in the world, and is a great deal better than the others. It is at present only inhabited by a few trappers and Indians and is a great deal better than the others. It is at present only inhabited by a few trappers and Indians and is a great deal better than the others.

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Long-Distance Running. A very pucky attempt to lower the record for the run between Hamilton and Toronto was made a few days ago by Frank Murphy, a young runner of the Western Y. M. C. A., Toronto.

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The Bishop's Amusement. The Bishop of London, preaching a farewell sermon on the occasion of the departure of Rev. H. S. Woolton, who was leaving for the colonies, said that he was leaving for the colonies, and that he was leaving for the colonies.

A Concession. "Your wife insists that women are always superior to men?"

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## ARE A FRIEND TO THE FISHERMAN

DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS CURED MR. C. WILLIAMS' RHEUMATISM.

He Took the Terrible Disease in Time and a Single Box Made Him a Well Man.

Kioskos Igouish, Capo Breton (St. John's),—How easily and quickly Dodd's Kidney Pills banish Rheumatism and other symptoms of Kidney Disease is well known in the case of Michael C. Williams, a fisherman living in this place.

"My kidney disease started from a strain," Mr. Williams says, "and I suffered from it for about three months. I had backache, stiffness in the joints and rheumatism. When I got out in the morning I had a bad taste in my mouth; I perspired freely with the least exertion, and I was always tired and nervous."

"One box of Dodd's Kidney Pills cured me and I believe they will cure others who are suffering from Kidney Disease."

"If you have any two of the symptoms mentioned by Mr. Williams you may be one of two things. One is that your kidneys are sick, and the other that Dodd's Kidney Pills will cure you."

Dodd's Kidney Pills have proved in dozens of cases all over Canada that they will cure Kidney Disease of any kind or stage.

No Waste for Him. To justify his reported use of the same written by a physician in one of his plays, J. M. Barry says: "We Scots always waste. Did you never hear of a Scotchman who, when he always drank his whiskey to the last drop the instant it was poured out for him? 'Why do you drink down your time?' said a Scotchman, 'I do,' a stranger said to Saunders in a reproachful tone. 'I once had one drop of whiskey over,' the old man explained."

At the Yarmouth Y.M.C.A. Boys' Camp, held at Tucker Falls in August, I found MINARD'S LINIMENT most beneficial for sun burn, an immediate relief for colds and toothache.

ALFRED JONES, General Secretary.

Was She Sarcastic? Do you think that Miss Kiddler was having fun with me?" asked Charley.

"Well, old chap, give me the date and year, and I'll answer you. You see, I had my ball buried with me, and I said to her, 'That dog knows as much as I do.' And she said, 'But you think my ballings was too much to pay for him?'"

A Corroder of Pulmonary Troubles. Many human ailments could be presented showing the great efficiency of Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil in curing disorders of the respiratory processes.

Most of the brilliant ideas in after-dinner speaking come out of a champagne bottle and disappear with the bubble.

A stitch in time saves nine, and every horse is killed early saves a thousand at least later on. Wilson's Fly Pads will kill many times more flies than any other article.

Wooden sandals, to be attached with spring clips, have been invented for the use of horses on marshes or other soft ground.

Minard's Liniment used by Physicians. It's awfully hard for a son-in-law to keep his name on the pay roll.

Try Murine Eye Remedy For Red, Watery, Itchy Eyes, Granulation, Pink Eye and Eye Strain. Murine Doesn't Smart; Soothes Eye Pain. Is Commanded by Experienced Physicians. Contains no Injurious or Prohibited Drugs. Try Murine for Your Eye Troubles. You Will Like Murine. Try It in Baby's Eyes for Sore Eyelids. Brought to You by Dr. M. Murine Eye Remedy Co., Chicago, will send You Interesting Eye Books Free.

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### PROTECTING WOOD BUFFALO.

Effort is Being Made to Save Last Remaining Species.

Numerous complaints have come in from time to time from the Far North of the continent, the only wild specimens on the North American continent, are being killed by Indians and by timber wolves.

The killing of these animals is prohibited by the Dominion Government, who realizing the depredations caused by these animals, are taking the latter are allowed to become too numerous in the buffalo country, have offered a bounty of \$20 for each timber wolf pelt. Strange to say, this generous amount has not had any marked result expected of bringing in increased quantities of wolf skins by the Indians, a reason for which is offered by Supt. Routledge in his report. Supt. Routledge was last year sent out from the Mounted Police headquarters with instructions to investigate thoroughly the reports of depletion of the herd, and to take the necessary action to punish the offenders.

He left Port Saskatchewan on Feb. 2 and reached Smith's Landing on March 10. He made a careful investigation, but could not find that any buffalo had been slaughtered in the last two years. He visited the grazing grounds, and saw numerous buffalo, besides many tracks. Supt. Routledge said the country in a different direction, as he found traces of a large herd, which he estimated at 100, but was not able to come up with them. He saw many tracks of many wolves. Supt. McLeod also patrolled the west side of the grazing grounds, but saw no wolves, nor could he find that any had been killed. He saw, as well as Supt. Field, several other mounted men.

Supt. Routledge's report and recommendations are as follows: "The requisite number of mounted men for the far northern herds is an important matter. The laws at present on the statute book, and the wolf bounties are steps in the right direction, but, when the remoteness of the grazing district is considered, the ravages by timber wolves, and the fact that small native settlements are situated at the edge of the place, the wolves are a serious menace to the grazing lands on three sides, miles from principal centres, and that in several instances herds of many years Indians have been punished by fine for killing buffalo it will be seen that more direct supervision is necessary."

"During my stay at Smith's Landing I was unable to obtain evidence of the Indians at these places having killed buffalo during the past few years, and that they have done so during the year, and immediately preceding that period was a matter of suspicion only. Traders and others who understand the Indian character stated that had such taken place they would likely have heard of it."

"Timber wolves are numerous, as the many tracks observed in the Northern Slave country south of Smith's Landing, and the animals seen by the natives west of Salt River, serve to show, and they undoubtedly destroy many calves and young buffalo."

The Indian states that it is next to impossible to trap the wolves, the tribes being so wary that it is difficult to get at them with a rifle, and the results following the application of strychnine would be too serious in a game and for the normal is except under very careful supervision."

"The buffalo appear to move about in small bands, and it is therefore impossible to arrive at a correct estimate of the number but from all I could learn they are between 250 and 300 head."

The Coroner's Authority. In connection with the Kinaird inquest, which has puzzled the public in the courts, it is worth while recalling that the coroner, whose powers are historic and wider than those of a judge, has been a popular subject for criticism for a thousand years. If any one will take the trouble to turn up his Shakespeare he will find at the opening of the graveyard, Act V, Scene I, of Hamlet, "when the doctors are describing the grave of Ophelia, that the first question the right of the unforgotten is to the right of the unforgotten is to the right of the unforgotten."

"I tell thee she is + + + the coroner will say on her, and find it christian burial."

And finally after much such logic based on the fact that Ophelia's side, the second clown winds up with the proverbial line against coroners: "Will you ha' her? the truth on't? If this had not been a gentleman, she should have been buried out of christian burial."

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## Relation of the Liver and Kidneys

Functions each that suffers when the other is deranged.

Complicated cases can only be cured by combined treatment of Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills.

The liver filters poisons from the blood. The kidneys also filter poisons from the blood.

When the liver becomes sluggish and torpid in action, or is given too much work by over-eating, the kidneys have to help out with this work of filtration. When the liver fails the kidneys have all this work to do.

And this is exactly what causes ninety-ninth of the cases of kidney diseases. The beginning is biliousness, indigestion and constipation and after a time the kidneys begin to be affected and there comes backache, urinary derangements and finally kidney disease in some of its dreadfully painful and fatal forms.

Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills are the rational cure for kidney disease, just as they are the most successful because they get at the cause of the trouble and exert a combined and direct influence on liver, kidneys and bowels.

They promptly and thoroughly cleanse the bowels or intestines and by awakening the action of the liver they get at the cause of the trouble by their direct action on the kidneys bring about the natural and healthful secretion of urine.

Mrs. Dave W. Mall, Lombardy, Levee Co., Ont., writes—"I was troubled with kidney diseases for eight years and doctored with several doctors to no avail until I began using Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills, which entirely cured me. I feel as if I had died were it not for this medicine."

Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills, one pill a dose, 25 cents a box, at all dealers or direct from, Bates & Co., Toronto.

Important Point. The man was engaged on a southern railroad for damages owing to a delay which made him miss an appointment and the ordinary preliminary questions were being put to him.

"Yes, please," asked the judge. "Well, your honor," said the plaintiff, "I was waiting for my baggage on the train or when I got off."

House-keepers are strongly advised to commence the use of Wilson's Fly Pads early, because a few flies killed in June would afterwards become a host by August.

Mellon university plans to require five years of study by a person before granting him a diploma as a veterinary surgeon.

It is a Liver Pill.—Many of the ailments that man has to contend with have their origin in a disordered liver, which is a delicate organ, peculiarly susceptible to the disturbances that come from irregular habits or lack of exercise, and drinking. This accounts for the great many liver regulators now pressed on the attention of doctors. Of these there is none superior to Parmelee's Vegetable Pills. Their operation though gentle is effective, and the most delicate can use them.

The man who thinks he knows it all is an easy mark for a designing woman.

BETTER THAN SPANKING. Spanking does not cure children of bedwetting. There is a constitutional defect in this trouble. Mr. M. Summers, Box W. I., Windsor, Ont., will send free to any mother her successful home treatment with full instructions. Send no money but write her today if your children trouble you in this way. Don't blame the child, the chance is all it can help it. This treatment also cures adults and aged people troubled with urine difficulties by day or night.

A German law forbids the habitation of any house within six months after it has been struck by lightning, on the unwholesomeness of damp walls.

Ten-cent water pipes must be checked in the first birthday, as the water will make stains that will show through the paint.

Minard's Liniment, Lumberman's Friend.

The British Museum, which recently purchased the collection of Sir Hans Sloan, was originated by Sir Hans Sloan, who bequeathed his collections to the government for \$100,000, about two-fifths of their cost.

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